

JOB OUTLOOK 2004-2014

WESTERN MARYLAND WORKFORCE AREA

Occupational Highlights

Top Occupations 2014	2004 Employment	2014 Employment	2004-2014 Employment Change		2004 - 2014 Replacement Openings*
			Number	Percent	
Occupations With the Largest Employment Changes 2004-2014					
Retail Salespersons	4,065	4,885	820	20.2	1,475
Registered Nurses	2,385	2,945	565	23.5	500
Customer Service Representatives	1,900	2,340	445	23.2	280
Waiters and Waitresses	2,135	2,545	410	19.2	1,095
Home Health Aides	750	1,090	340	45.3	100
Carpenters	1,570	1,900	330	21.0	255
Combined Food Prep. & Serving Wkrs., Inc. Fast Food	1,760	2,080	325	18.2	760
General and Operations Managers	1,820	2,105	285	15.7	345
Janitors & Clnrs., Except Maids & Housekeeping Clnrs.	1,335	1,615	275	21.0	255
Landscaping and Groundskeeping Workers	805	1,075	270	33.5	175
Office Clerks, General	2,855	3,070	215	7.5	635
Receptionists and Information Clerks	1,010	1,225	210	21.3	250
Occupations with the Most Replacement Openings 2004-2014					
Cashiers	3,280	3,290	15	0.3	1,595
Retail Salespersons	4,065	4,885	820	20.2	1,475
Waiters and Waitresses	2,135	2,545	410	19.2	1,095
Combined Food Prep. & Serving Wkrs., Inc. Fast Food	1,760	2,080	325	18.2	760
Office Clerks, General	2,855	3,070	215	7.5	635
Laborers & Freight, Stock & Material Movers, Hand	1,740	1,770	35	1.7	570
Registered Nurses	2,385	2,945	565	23.5	500
Correctional Officers and Jailers	2,375	2,215	-165	-6.7	495
Team Assemblers	1,855	1,970	120	6.2	480
Stock Clerks and Order Fillers	1,235	1,120	-115	-9.3	455
Truck Drivers, Heavy and Tractor-Trailer	2,245	2,290	45	2.0	365
General and Operations Managers	1,820	2,105	285	15.7	345
Occupations with the Fastest Growth Rates 2004-2014**					
Home Health Aides	750	1,090	340	45.3	100
Preschool Teachers, Except Special Education	205	280	75	36.6	25
Medical Assistants	325	435	110	33.8	60
Landscaping and Groundskeeping Workers	805	1,075	270	33.5	175
Emergency Medical Technicians and Paramedics	205	265	60	29.3	25
Pharmacy Technicians	215	275	60	27.9	30
Counter Att., Cafeteria, Food Concession & Coffee Shop	450	570	120	26.7	295
Plumbers, Pipefitters, and Steamfitters	450	565	120	25.6	105
Helpers--Carpenters	205	255	45	24.4	85
Reservation & Transportation Ticket Agents & Travel Clks	205	255	50	24.4	55
Counter and Rental Clerks	480	595	115	24.0	185
Registered Nurses	2,385	2,945	565	23.5	500
**Occupations with 2004 employment of 200 or more.					

* Demand arising from occupational transfers and labor force separations

NOTE: Rounding of data to the nearest 5 may affect additivity

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Top Demand Occupations by Educational Requirements 2004-2014

Occupation	Openings			Annual Wage
	Employment Change	Replacement	Total	
Bachelor's Degree or Higher				
General and Operations Managers	285	345	630	70,354
Elementary School Teachers, Except Special Education	155	250	405	50,468
Secondary School Teachers, Exc. Special & Vocational Educ.	65	160	225	54,329
Middle School Teachers, Exc. Special & Vocational Educ.	60	150	210	50,676
Accountants and Auditors	60	85	145	45,823
Financial Managers	50	50	105	61,833
Medical and Health Services Managers	50	55	105	68,544
Computer Software Engineers, Applications	75	15	90	65,213
Educational, Vocational, and School Counselors	40	50	90	37,372
Rehabilitation Counselors	45	40	85	24,508
Post-Secondary Award or Associate Degree				
Registered Nurses	565	500	1,065	54,384
Nursing Aides, Orderlies, and Attendants	185	235	420	23,797
Licensed Practical and Licensed Vocational Nurses	115	165	285	36,015
Hairdressers, Hairstylists, and Cosmetologists	120	160	285	20,341
Automotive Service Technicians and Mechanics	20	215	235	34,340
Medical Secretaries	55	75	130	26,251
Preschool Teachers, Except Special Education	75	25	100	22,954
Emergency Medical Technicians and Paramedics	60	25	85	24,735
Fitness Trainers and Aerobics Instructors	55	25	80	34,189
Computer Support Specialists	40	30	75	36,432
High School or Less				
Retail Salespersons	820	1,475	2,300	18,252
Cashiers	15	1,595	1,610	16,538
Waiters and Waitresses	410	1,095	1,510	14,084
Combined Food Preparation & Serving Workers, Incl. Fast Food	325	760	1,085	14,703
Office Clerks, General	215	635	845	23,686
Customer Service Representatives	445	280	725	24,679
Laborers and Freight, Stock, and Material Movers, Hand	35	570	600	24,661
Team Assemblers	120	480	595	28,742
Carpenters	330	255	585	33,383
Janitors & Cleaners, Except Maids & Housekeeping Cleaners	275	255	530	20,229